

## Interference Laid to GACE by Legislators

**State Capital Bureau**  
LITTLE ROCK (Special) — Validity of information furnished by school districts boards in response to a questionnaire from the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee has in the opinion of legislators consulted today, been destroyed by interference charged by them to the Governor's Advisory Committee on Education.

The committee's intent, several members said, was to obtain first hand from school directors an estimate of needs independently of the GACE which already had put in its bid, based on many months of meetings and surveying, for at least \$180,000,000 more in state taxes for schools.

What the committee got it is reported, is in many cases a padded estimate — padded in compliance with instructions from the GACE to the school boards.

Two key questions in the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee's inquiry related to: (5) Amount required for 1957-58 with \$240 million teacher salary; and (13) How much state aid will district need?

The legislators held the GACE responsible for actually directing the manner in which the school boards replied to the Legislative Committee. Each board received suggestions, to this effect:

In filling out the amount in item 5 we suggest that you include: (a) Allowance for the additional teacher needed to provide a completely adequate school program; (b) an allowance for the employment of fully qualified teachers; (c) an allowance for paying all teachers the following salary schedule: Less than \$900, \$2,000 plus \$90 for each year of experience not to exceed 8 years; \$900 plus less than \$2,000, plus \$90 for each year of experience not to exceed 10 years; Bachelor's degree \$3,000, plus \$100 for each year of experience not to exceed 15 years; Master's degree \$3,500, plus \$100 for each year of experience not to exceed 20 years.

In filling out item 13 include not only the additional money for teachers' salaries but also (a) The additional revenue needed for maintenance and operation of the school plant at a defensible economic level; (b) additional revenue needed for instructional supplies and equipment; (c) additional revenue needed for an adequate and safe transportation program; (d) additional revenue needed for an effective educational program for exceptional children; (e) additional revenue needed for an expanded program of vocational services of all kinds; (f) additional revenue needed for textbooks.

"These suggestions are based upon the recommendations of the GACE. By following them, the results obtained will more accurately reflect the existing needs. Please contact the president of your board and have the questionnaire filled in and returned to the Legislative Audit Committee."

One representative commented: "It is apparent that the GACE does not want the General Assembly to have a realistic appraisal of actual needs based upon the independently arrived at conclusions of the school boards. That is regrettable. It seems to me that if the GACE had confidence in its own findings, it would have been happy for the school boards to supply information to the legislature without dictation from any source."

At the offices of the Legislative Audit Division, it was reported that replies had been received from 383 of the 423 districts in the state. The figures are being compiled for a report that will be distributed to the Joint Auditing Committee within a few days, Orvil M. Johnson legislative auditor, said.

**Brother of Local Woman Succumbs**  
Funeral services were held last Thursday for Floyd Allen Jones, 63, a native of Hope, Ark., who died in a North Arlington Hospital. He left Hope some 35 years ago. His survivors include his wife, Mrs. Millie Cotten Jones, three sisters, Mrs. Maude Clements of Fort Worth, Mrs. Haley Brunson, Seminole, Okla., and Mrs. Cora Boyce of Hope, Ark.

**Spring Hill Host to Baptist Meet**  
The Southwest District Baptist Training Service met with Bethany Missionary Baptist Church at Spring Hill, Sunday, January 6. The theme of the program was Prayer and Soul-Winning. After a short business meeting, Palmos Baptist Church was recognized as a new member of the association. The next meeting will be held at Lineman Baptist Church at Nashville on April 7.

## Legislator Says Raising Taxes No Real Answer

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — State Sen. Ellis Fagan today said "just raising taxes is not the answer" to Arkansas' money problems and added, "In my opinion, there is no emergency in the state at the moment."

Sen. Fagan, senior member of the state Senate in service, made the statement in elaborating on his remarks of yesterday in which he indicated a legislative battle may develop over efforts to boost Arkansas taxes.

Gov. Orval Faubus reportedly favors tax increases that would bring in about 22 million more dollars a year.

Fagan said he was not an "anti-tax anti-progress man, but I just don't want to go into the Legislature under an agreement for a wholesale raise in taxes without our taking a good sharp look at the entire tax structure of our state."

Spang at the annual meeting of the Arkansas Association of Commercial Executives, Ellis warned that the legislature was not going to accept a far increase without proof that it is necessary.

Although the governor has not made public the details of tax legislation he favors, he has discussed his hopes with legislators.

Some lawmakers have stated that Faubus wants a 1-cent boost in the state sales tax that would bring in an estimated 15 million extra dollars yearly, a broadening of the state income tax base to collect 5 million dollars more and a 2-million-dollar increase in severance taxes.

Fagan said he would oppose any

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## Negro Held in Bearden Bank Robbery

CAMDEN, Ark. — A young Negro farm laborer today faced charges in connection with robberies of two southwest Arkansas banks a week apart.

Samuel Billingsly, 21, of near Pine Lake Ark., was arrested near here last night during a manhunt which spread a network of roadblocks through Ouachita County.

Sheriff Grover Linebarrier said the Negro had admitted robbing both Citizens Bank of nearby Bearden Ark., of more than \$5,000 yesterday and Merchants & Planters Bank of Sparkman Ark. of \$372 last week.

The sheriff also said two employees in the Bearden bank when it was robbed had identified Billingsly as the bandit.

Linebarrier said the money from the Bearden robbery was recovered but that Billingsly told officers he had spent the money taken from the Sparkman bank Dec. 31.

The Negro was jailed here on an open charge after his arrest on State Highway 7 near Amy, between Camden and Sparkman.

He was arrested by two State Police investigators and Night City Marshal G. Warwick of Bearden. They said he was unarmed and offered no resistance.

Linebarrier said the three officers recognized a pickup truck on the highway as one which had been described by persons who saw the bandit leaving the Bearden bank.

The sheriff said a squad of State Police went to Billingsly's home after his arrest and recovered more than \$5,000 and a .38 caliber pistol.

**City to Ask More From W&L Plant; Delays Tax**  
Hope City Council discussed at length a proposed sewage and maintenance fee last night and ended the two and a half hour session by agreeing to go before the Water and Light Plant Commission to discuss the possibility of getting more money.

At its last session the group adopted a budget of \$218,374 for the year, an estimated \$30,000 more than current revenues bring. So the council approved a general increase in the trash and garbage fees designed to bring an estimated \$20,000 more. This still left the known revenue some \$17,000 short of the budget, hence the next step to study means of getting more.

But several members of the Council put up heated arguments against the sewage fee. At least two figured the decrease in revenue from the Water and Light Plant was too drastic and should have been spread out over several years. Last year the City got over \$100,000 from the plant but was notified only \$48,000 would be available for 1957 — if necessary improvements at the municipal plant are to be made.

The Council agreed to go along with the \$48,000 as best it could and

## Gas Firm Can Issue \$25 Million in Bonds

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Texas Gas Transmission Co. has been authorized to issue 25 million dollars worth of first mortgage bonds, the Arkansas Public Service Commission announced yesterday.

Approval of state regulating bodies is required for such an issue.

The bonds will bear 4 per cent interest. Their final maturity date will be 1976.

Texas Gas operates a natural gas pipeline through several states, including Arkansas.

The company said in its application that the bond issue would be used to retire a bank indebtedness incurred in an expansion program.

## Gas Increase Probe Asked by Marketers

WASHINGTON (UP) — The National Oil Marketers association asked Attorney General Herbert W. Brownell Jr. today to investigate current price increases in crude oil and gasoline to see whether collusion is involved.

If collusion is shown, association General Counsel Paul E. Hadlick told Brownell, "the facts should be placed before a federal grand jury."

The association, representing independent jobbers, asked President Eisenhower yesterday to block the price jumps by suspending the Corally "hot oil" act under which states control oil production. It said this would increase supplies and in turn, make price increases unnecessary.

"Small business concerns in the oil industry," Hadlick told Brownell, "are suspicious of the circumstances surrounding these increases without having any definite evidence of collusion. Your department, with its far-flung FBI offices, district attorney staffs and the anti-trust division are the only ones that can make the proper investigation and determine if the anti-trust laws are being violated through a conspiracy to raise the price of crude oil and refined products."

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**Arkansas Weather**  
By The Associated Press  
Central, northeast, southeast and southwest Arkansas: Cloudy through tomorrow with occasional rain and scattered thundershowers. High this afternoon upper 50s to low 60s central and northwest, in 50s northeast, upper 50s to mid 60s southeast; low tonight near 50s central and southwest.

Northwest Arkansas: Cloudy through tomorrow with occasional rain and scattered thundershowers tonight and tomorrow. Turning colder tomorrow. High this afternoon upper 50s to low 60s; low tonight, mid 40s to low 50s.

In other matters the council did vote to continue paying \$480 a year to the County Health Office and allowed a claim of \$81 to Dr. Harris, city physician, in a charity case.

## 89 Bodcaw Students Get Polio Shots

Some 89 students of Bodcaw school received their third and final polio shots last week with Dr. William B. H. Poole and Mrs. Robert Theus, Rn, donating time for giving the shots.

Included in the Bodcaw health program is the regular inspection of lunchrooms, buses, dressing rooms and all school buildings.

These health projects have been accomplished through efforts of a committee appointed by the Parent Teachers Association.

## Cold Spreads From Gulf to New England

By The Associated Press

Cold air spread across northern areas from western Montana into New England today and there was a general cooling from the Great Lakes region to the Gulf Coast.

Temperatures were around zero in western Montana, with falls of 30 degrees compared to yesterday morning's marks. The frigid Canadian air, along with light snow, moved east southward into the Northern Plains.

Cool air also spread southward across Minnesota and the northern Great Lakes. Temperatures were in the teens around 12 degrees lower than 24 hours earlier. A cooling trend was reported south through the Gulf Coast states.

However, it was attributed to clearing skies, not any fresh cold air. Temperatures ranged to near 50 degrees on the Gulf Coast. Cloudy skies kept temperatures from falling from the Central Plains through southern Idaho and southward through Texas and Arizona.

Light snow continued in the Northwest from the eastern Low-er Michigan eastward to the coast. However amounts on the ground ranged from 2 to 4 inches in northeast Ohio to 18 inches in Maine.

## Court Ruling on Liability Important

By LEON HATCH  
LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court had its longest judicial workout last year on a case which attracted little public attention but which possibly could be of importance to many who drive, or ride in, an automobile.

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**Some Arkansas Cities Got New Industry**  
LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Arkansas cities of 5,000 population or over gained a total of 16,400 new manufacturing jobs from 1948 to 1956, according to the State Department of Labor.

This means that 16,400 people found manufacturing jobs during that eight year period which did not exist before.

Probably Benton and Malvern showed the greatest percentage increase. Malvern jumped from 1,188 industrial jobs in 1948 to 3,088 in early 1956. Benton from 1,098 to 3,787 a net gain of 2,689.

Helena showed the greatest loss dropping from 3,087 industrial jobs in 1948 to 1,099 in early 1956.

## Ike and Leaders Okay Priority Legislation

By MERRIMAN SMITH

WASHINGTON (UP) — President Eisenhower agreed with GOP congressional leaders today on a list of priority legislation for the new Congress. The list was headed by the new Mid-east resolution and continuation of present corporation and excise (sales) taxes.

It included measures dealing with Hungarian refugees, school construction and civil rights.

The agreement was reached at the first regular meeting this year between the President and House and Senate Republican leaders.

The GOP leaders conceded their priority list will have to be discussed with the Democratic leadership which controls Congress.

But the Republicans felt there would be a measure of agreement between the two parties on items picked today for early action.

Current excise taxes on many items and higher corporate tax rates expire April 1. The President and his leaders agreed today there must be early action to extend these levies.

House Republican Leader Joseph W. Martin Jr. said the administration will seek an extension of one year in the tax rates.

Extension of excise and corporate levies has been taken for granted as administration policy since the GOP leaders announced Dec. 21 Mr. Eisenhower's plans for fiscal 1958 anticipated no reduction in revenues.

The excise taxes, applying primarily to liquor, cigarettes and automobiles yield about \$1 billion annually and the current corporate tax rates yield about \$2 billion.

Senate GOP Leader William F. Knowland (Calif.) announcing the priority list, said it was not all inclusive and did not lessen the importance of legislation to be pushed later.

Topping the priority list was the Mid-East resolution now being rushed through House committee hearings. Knowland said he expected the resolution to clear the senate foreign relations committee within two or three weeks.

The rest of the list in the order announced by Knowland was: Extension of excise and corporate tax rates.

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By The Associated Press

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**RECOVERING** — Actress Marie McDonald, recuperating at her home in Encino, Calif., from her ordeal at hands of kidnappers, is shown with her three-month-old baby, Tina Marie. Miss McDonald said that it was a gun pointed at Tina that forced her to leave her home with abductors. Miss McDonald was found by a truck driver wandering along a highway near Indo, Calif., some 150 miles from her home. — NEA Telephoto

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## PSC Approves Gas Contract With Dierks

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Public Service Commission today approved a contract between Arkansas Louisiana Gas Co. and Dierks Paper Co. for natural gas service to the new Dierks paper mill near Pine Bluff.

The mill is expected to be ready for gas by next fall. The contract will run from the time first fuel is furnished until Dec. 31, 1960.

The rates for each 1,000 cubic feet of gas will range from 33 cents to the first million cubic feet to 20 1/2 cents for all over 500 million cubic feet.

The contract contains a provision for adjustment in payments in case of possible tax increases to Ark. La. It also provides that Dierks must take or pay for a specified quantity of gas each year of the agreement.

A hearing on the contract was held last Wednesday.

The only protest was by Aluminum Company of America, which has charged in another proceeding that it is being discriminated against through a similar special type contract which Ark-La had made with its chief competitor, Reynolds Metals Co.

The Public Service Commission today set for hearing on Jan. 22 a joint application of Ark-La and Pan-Am Southern Corp. for furnishing gas to Pan Am's oil refinery at El Dorado.

The contract would run five years and the price of gas would be graduated downward between 30 cents per 1,000 cubic feet for the first one million cubic feet to 17 cents per unit for all over 500 million cubic feet monthly.

After 2 years the price for each step would be increased by 2 1/2 cents per 1,000 cubic feet.

The proposed contract also has a pay provision.

**Lions See Film on Lens-Glasses**  
Hope Lions Club met yesterday at the Hotel Barlow for its regular weekly luncheon and business meeting. Kinard Young was in charge of the program and presented a film, "Lens for Glasses." There were 30 members present.

Bonnie Newbern, a Hope student at Hendrix, Conway, has been elected treasurer of Alpha Epsilon Delta, national premedical honor society. . . . Newbern, a junior pre-med student, is a member of Alpha Tau, Hendrix honor society. . . . he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Newbern of 401 Walker Street.

Army Specialist 3c Virgil L. Upchurch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hammett E. Upchurch, Hope, recently participated in "War Hawk," a two-week field training exercise in Germany. . . . Specialist Upchurch, a driver in the company, entered the Army in December 1953 and completed basic training at Fort Gordon, Ga. . . . he attended Texarkana Junior College. . . . his wife, Bertha, is with him in Germany.

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The annual Council



# Loopholes in UN Laws Convenient

By JAMES MARLOW  
Associated Press News Analyst  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Where does President Eisenhower's plan — for sending American forces into the Middle East to stop a Communist attack — leave the United Nations about where it was before? The U.N. will work only so long as its two biggest members, the United States and Russia, want it to work. Because they don't trust each

other and didn't when they created the U. N. almost 12 years ago, they built into its charter convenient loopholes to let them maneuver pretty freely whenever it suited them.

Thanks to one of those loopholes, Eisenhower was able to make the proposition he laid before Congress and still maintain he was acting within the spirit and meaning of the U.N.

He asked Congress for advance authority to use, when he wished, American armed forces in the Middle East to help a nation — if it asked for the help — stop an attack by a country dominated by international communism.

He made the request in two ways: first with a personal plea to Congress last Saturday; second, with a carefully worded resolution prepared by his aides. It's not the speech, but the resolution,

which he asked Congress to approve.

There was a difference between the language in the speech and that in the resolution. It's the language in the resolution which counts because when Congress approves the resolution, that becomes the formal policy of the government.

In his address Eisenhower said: any use he made of American forces would be "subject to the overriding authority" of the U. N. Security Council. What does that mean? Nothing, if you then go on to read the wording of the resolution.

If an emergency arose and Eisenhower sent troops into the Middle East, he would notify the Security Council "immediately." In short, what he would really do is act first and tell the council about it later.

The reason from Eisenhower's standpoint, is understandable. The big powers have a veto over each other's actions in the Security Council. The United States and Russia both wanted the veto in the charter.

It was the crowning mark of their mutual distrust. It enables each to block the other in a tough situation, or try to. For example:

Suppose a Communist-dominated nation attacked an Arab country which asked American help. Suppose then it. Instead of responding at once, Eisenhower went before the Security Council and said: "I think the council should authorize joint action by the whole U. N. to stop this aggression."

Russia could veto that just as it could veto a request by Eisenhower to approve his use of American forces before he sent them into battle. But if he used the forces first and told the council later, it would make no difference what Russia did then.

But doesn't the U. N. Charter in some way require its members to go through the international organization, even in an emergency? No. There's a loophole for that, too. Once again the United States and Russia showed their suspicion of each other by building this loophole, called Article 51, into the charter. It says:

"Nothing in the present charter shall impair the inherent right of individual that could be the United States or collective defense that could be the United States and some Arab country which asked its help if an armed attack occurs against a member of the United Nations, to maintain international peace and security. Measures taken by members in the exercise of this right of self-defense reported to the Security Council and shall not in any way affect the authority and responsibility of the Security Council under the present charter to take at any time such action as it seems necessary in order to maintain or restore international peace and security."

That brings up another loophole. If, after sending American forces into battle, Eisenhower notified the Security Council and Russia tried to get this country to pull back the United States could veto that.

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## Prescott News

### Jr. Musical Coterie Meets

The January meeting of the Junior Musical Coterie was held on Wednesday afternoon in the home of Caroline Daniel with 12 members present.

The president, Elendale Ledbetter presided. The meeting was opened with the singing of the club hymn and the repeating of the club collect. The minutes were read by the secretary, Mary Beth Bryson. Nancy Bratton gave the treasurer's report.

Piano solos were played by Jane Nelson. Caroline Daniel and Nancy Bratton. Sara Janet Bryson directed group singing with Caroline Daniel and Nancy Bratton playing the piano accompaniment.

The next meeting will be in the home of Jane Nelson.

The hostess served refreshments assisted by her mother, Mrs. Al Daniel.

### Mike Harris Celebrates Birthday

Mike Harris celebrated his seventh birthday with a party given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harris, at their home on Wednesday afternoon.

After Mike opened his gifts, games were played with prizes being won by Robert Lynn Milam and John Norman Lee.

The birthday cake represented a clock with the hands pointing to 7. Favors were musical whistles and bubble gum.

Individual cup cakes, ice cream and cold drinks were served to guests Jimmy Ritchie, Johnny Redfun, Jimmy and Judy Carmen, Sandy Gautche, Brenda Rhodes, Mary Gail Wilson, Sarah Ella Griffor, Charlotte Easterling, Debra, Brenda and Ralph Lemuel Harris, Vickie and Debra Cummings, Connie Theobolt, Galan Calhoun, Ann Bolton, Jackie Wilson and Mike Sullivan.

### W. C. T. U. Meets With Mrs. D. L. McRae

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. D. L. McRae with Mrs. J. Paul Jones, Mrs. C. A. Wynn and Mrs. J. C. Woodall assisting hostesses. A pot-pourri of noddies and berries decorated the rooms.

The vice-president, Mrs. S. O. Logan, presided and called the meeting to order with a poem "I am the New Year." An inspiring devotional on "Beginning Again" based on Philippians 3:12-14 was given by Mrs. Joe R. Hamilton.

Mrs. Logan presented the program on "Legislation." Mrs. J. B. Hester read a letter on "Legislatures" from the White Ribbons that was written by Miss Eleanor Neal, director of Legislation of the National W. C. T. U. Silent prayer was offered for members of the congress.

A delectable dessert course was served to 20 members and a guest, Mrs. A. J. Shell.

### Jr.-Sr. P. T. A. Meets

The Junior-Senior Parent Teachers Association held the January meeting on Thursday afternoon in the high school auditorium with the president, Mrs. Max Kitchen, presiding.

Rev. W. A. Lindsey gave the devotional and led in prayer. During the business session the minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Dawson Henry, and approved. The treasurer, Mrs. H. H. McKenzie, gave a financial report.

Harold Smith introduced the guest speaker for the afternoon, Dr. N. R. Nelson, who showed a film and gave an informative talk on "The Childs Eyes."

Winners in the room count were Mrs. Hallom's 8th grade and the sophomores.

## Legislator Says

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sales tax increase to 3 cents until sales tax exemptions on fertilizer, feed and seed are abolished. Fagan used his influence to get these items exempted from the sales tax in 1955. Governor Francis Cherry had vetoed similar legislation adopted by the 1953 legislature on grounds that the state could not afford to lose the revenue unless there were other taxes.

Mrs. D. K. Bemis and Knox Bemis of Texarkana spent Thursday here.

Lee Rogers has returned from an extended visit with relatives in San Diego, California.

Paul Hiett was a Thursday business visitor in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Haynie and Shelby have returned from Fayetteville where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Haynie and little daughter Lois Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McRae Jr. and Ellen accompanied Miss Claudia Price to her home in Monticello Thursday. They also visited C. R. Prewitt and family in Tillar.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cummings were the guests last week of their daughter, Mrs. Bob Fletcher and family in Jonesboro.

Mrs. Violet Coe and Miss Grace Down were Thursday visitors in Hope.

Mrs. Frank Gilbert and Miss Judy Gilbert spent several days last week in Little Rock.

Mrs. Guss McCaskill and Mrs. Allen Gee were Thursday visitors in Hope.

Mrs. Leonard Hall has returned from a visit with Rev. and Mrs. Frank Baldwin in Bethany, Okla.

to take its place.

A move for a referendum on the exemption measure signed by Fagan failed when the Supreme Court ruled the petitions invalid.

The senator also said he had always been against severance taxes on oil, timber and bauxite because he did not think particular industries should be singled out.

Fagan said "I'm saying now that just because we are told new taxes are needed, does not mean we will accept this at face value." He said the Legislature may well ask "Does this have to be done today?" Fagan estimated that new state revenue is growing between six and seven million dollars a year and increased services may be provided with that new money.

He said during the Legislative Council meeting he talked to heads of state departments who told him they had asked for more budget money than they needed "in order to get at least some increase."

The senator said Legislative Council approval of budget increases does not mean the Legislature is going to appropriate them.

Speaking for himself, Fagan said "Some better system of working out taxes must be presented to me."

E. A. Pyeatt, Searcy banker who is the new president of the Arkansas Chamber of Commerce, said 35 Arkansas communities have now financed sufficient support and backing to talk to industrial prospects about locating plants. He emphasized the need for community support and said it was this wholesome community atmosphere that won the Clary plant for his hometown of Searcy.

## News Briefs

MONACO (UP)—Princess Grace made her last social appearance last night before the approaching birth of her baby. She and Prince Rainier presided at a gala French movie premier. The former Grace Kelly now intends to stay close to her palace home to await the arrival of the heir to the monogamous throne expected about Jan. 26.

## Secret Meet on

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closed session details on some of the military matters, he touched on during daylong questioning yesterday. He did tell the congressmen that:

1. There is no plan for stepping up American forces in the Middle East.

2. Despite manpower cuts in the U. S. armed forces, American military "effectiveness" has increased and he is satisfied the United States has enough strength to commit itself against possible brush fire wars in addition to its other commitments. He said, for instance, that we have the power to protect Syria.

3. American military actions might not be confined to the country where the Reds attack but could involve strikes in such other areas as the aggressor's staging areas and communications lines.

4. He does not envision an all-out attack on the Soviet Union, unless it is determined that Communist invasion is really the beginning of World War III.

BUENOS AIRES (UP)—Farmers in Buenos Aires province feared for their corn crops today as a record-breaking heat wave continued into its second week.

The heat wave, which sent the mercury to 101 degrees yesterday, has produced a serious drought. Yesterday's temperatures were the highest on record for that date in Buenos Aires.

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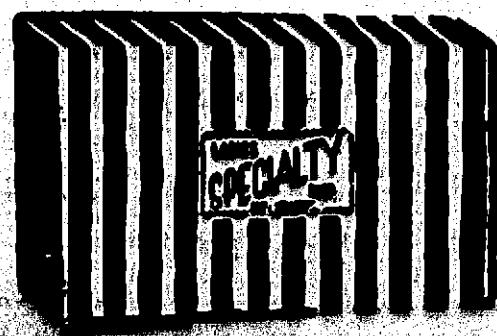
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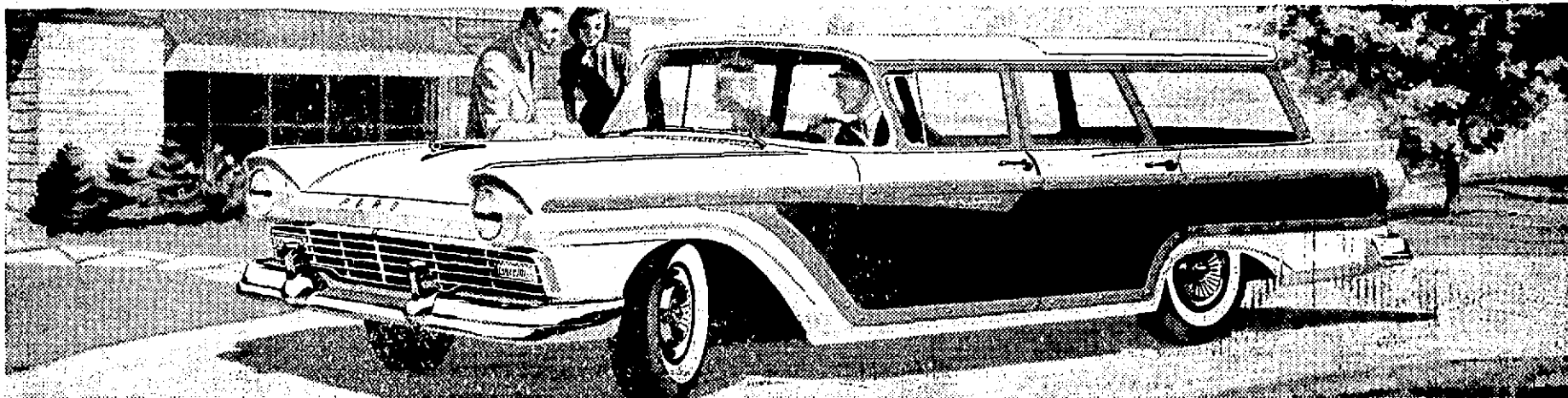
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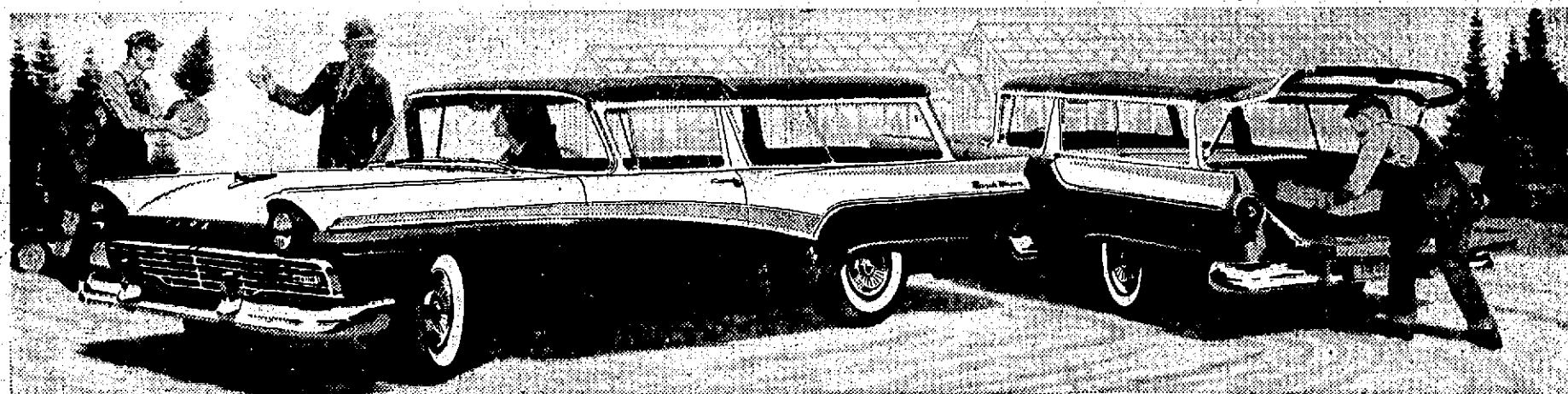


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## Calendar

**Tuesday January 8**  
The American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 12 will meet Tuesday January 8, at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Clyde Sexton, 315 S. Walker with Mrs. Lahroy Spates

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as co-hostess. All members are urged to be present.

Game night will be held at the Hope Country Club Tuesday evening January 8, at 7:30.

The Hope Ground Observer Corps will meet Tuesday January 8, at 7:30 p. m. at the V. F. W. Hut. All members are urged to be present.

## Wednesday January 9

Brookwood P. T. A. Executive Board will meet Wednesday January 9, at 8:30 a. m. and the regular P. T. A. meets January 9, at 3 o'clock. Mrs. George Wright program chairman, will be in charge and will show a film, "Man Alive." If you don't see this, you will miss something worthwhile.

Paisley P. T. A. will meet Wednesday January 9, at 3 p. m. in the School Auditorium. The Executive Committee meets at 2:30.

Garland P. T. A. meeting will be held at 3 p. m. Wednesday January 9, and the Executive meeting will be held at 2:30.

Oglesby P. T. A. Executive meeting will meet Wednesday at 2:30 and the regular P. T. A. meeting at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Cline Franks will discuss the topic, "Are Our Children Physically Fit?"

Lilac Garden Club of Hope will meet Wednesday January 9, at 3 p. m. in the home of Miss Mable Ethridge with Mrs. Pat Casey as co-hostess. Mrs. Steve Carrigan will present the program on, "Birds."

The John Cain Chapter of D. A. R. will meet for its regular monthly luncheon Wednesday, January 9 at Hotel Barlow. Hostesses will be Mrs. J. G. Martindale, Mrs. Paul

Kilpsch, and Mrs. F. R. Johnson. This will be the annual business meeting for members only.

The V. F. W. will hold its regular meeting Wednesday evening January 9, at 7:30 at the Hut.

**Thursday January 10**  
Garland P. T. A. Study Group will meet Thursday morning January 10, at 9:30 in the School Auditorium. Mrs. LaGrone Williams and Mrs. James Pilkinton will lead the discussion. This meeting is for all parents of Garland P. T. A.

Guernsey P. T. A. will meet Thursday, January 10, at 7:30 p. m. in the High School Auditorium. Everyone is invited to attend and hear Dr. Wayne Lafferty talk on "Health."

The Adult Fellowship Group of the First Methodist Church will meet Thursday evening at 6:45 for monthly pot-luck dinner. An interesting program has been planned, and it is hoped a good crowd will attend.

**Friday January 11**  
The Rose Garden Club will meet Friday January 11, at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. F. C. Crow, 315 West 5th St. with Mrs. Cecil Weaver as associate hostess.

## Notice

The Beacon Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church scheduled to meet in the home of Wanda Garrett on Tuesday evening January 8 has been postponed until the 3rd. Tuesday night which will be January 15.

Miss Nancy Hays Honored With Brides Maids Luncheon  
Miss Nancy Hays was complimented at a beautifully appointed bridesmaids luncheon given by Mrs. James Flippin of Norfolk, Va., and Mrs. Brooks Shults of Fulton, in the Shults home, on Friday December 21, at 1 o'clock.

A Christmas motif, with a profusion of southern smilax, holly and pine, were used through out the reception rooms.

In the living room the mantel

centered with an antique gold clock was banked with gold magnolia leaves, gold pine cones and greenery.

A huge gold Christmas tree trimmed with green Christmas balls was placed at a vantage point in the music room, where all the decorations were in green and gold.

In the dining room, the serving table was covered with an imported cut work maderia cloth and centered with a large silver candelabra holding burning white tapers and decorated with white carnations, silver bells and silver Christmas balls.

The guests were invited into the play room where the mantel decorated with greenery and three large red and white snow men candles pulling a sleigh filled with gifts. Single matching smaller snow men candles were placed at intervals on the mantel.

Place cards also featuring brightly burning red and white snowmen candles marked places for the following:

Miss Hays, Miss Ginnane Graves, Miss Carolyn Cox of Texarkana; Miss Janet Tyson of Texarkana and Miss Jane Dildy of Texarkana; Miss Carolyn Carson, Little Rock; Miss Virginia Ann Hays, Prescott; Miss Roberta Howard, Mrs. F. D. Gottwald Sr., Richmond, Va., Mrs. J. L. Carson, Little Rock and Mrs. Ray Parker of Little Rock; Mrs. Dolph Hays, Arlington, Va., Mrs. Lloyd Spencer, Mrs. Thomas Hays and the hostesses.

The honoree chose for the occasion a brown woolen frock of empire style. She was presented with a lovely gift and a corsage of white carnations.

## Hays Gottwald Rehearsal Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dewey Gottwald Sr., of Richmond, Virginia entertained the Hays-Gottwald wedding party with a rehearsal dinner in the private dining room at the Hotel Barlow on Friday evening December 21, at 6:30 o'clock.

The table was centered with an artistic mass arrangement of red carnations accented with clusters of red mandarin berries, and greenery interspersed with lighted red candles. A smaller similar arrangement was placed on either side of the central arrangement from which extended to the ends of the table, greenery with clusters of red berries and at intervals single glowing red candles.

Dainty place cards featuring a miniature bride and groom marked places for the following: Miss Nancy Hays, Mrs. Bruce Gottwald, Mrs. James Flippin, Norfolk, Va., Miss Jane Dildy, Texarkana; Miss Janet Tyson, Texarkana; Miss Carolyn Carson, Little Rock; Miss Virginia Ann Hays, Prescott; Miss Caroline Cox, Shreveport, La., Miss Ginnane Graves, Miss Jane Parker of Little Rock; Miss Roberta Howard, Mr. F. D. Gottwald Jr., Richmond, Va., Mr. Douglas Gottwald, Richmond, Va., Mr. Tom Ed. Hays Jr., Mr. Joe Tyson, Texarkana; Mr. Henry Moore, Texarkana; Mr. D. Brannan, Texarkana; Mr. Luther Hollaman, Mr. Tommy Spencer, Hays, Arlington, Va., Mrs. F. D. Gottwald Jr., Richmond, Va., The Reverend and Mrs. L. T. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hays and the host and hostess.

The honored couple presented each of their attendants with a gift at this time.

The honoree wore for the occasion, a gown of gray organza. She was given a corsage of red carnations by the host and hostess.

**WSGS Circle No. 1**  
Met in the Home of Mrs. E. P. Young Sr.

Women's Society of Christian Service Circle No. 1 met Monday January 7, at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. E. P. Young. Sr., with Mrs. W. C. Miller as co-hostess. The meeting was opened and conducted by the leader, Mrs. C. V. Nunn, and the New Year Meditation was given by Mrs. Dale Barnum. "More Stately Mansions" was given by Mrs. H. O. Kyler and a prayer by Mrs. Stith Davenport. Cherry pie and coffee was served to the 21 members, 1 new member, Mrs. Mary Lehman and one visitor, Mrs. Kinard Young.

## Golden Anniversary

On Sunday afternoon, the 23rd of December, Miss Elizabeth Simmons, Commander and Mrs. Charles G. Simmons, and Miss Lena Parish honored Mr. and Mrs. Noble Moffette Simmons with a reception at the Rosedale Country Club, Rosedale, Mississippi celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

The Country Club was beautifully decorated carrying out the theme of the golden anniversary. The tables were covered with Italian cutwork cloths brought back from Italy by Commander and Mrs. C. G. Simmons. The cake table was beautifully decorated with bronze candelabra and gold compotes, and trimmed with small yellow chrysanthemums and gold and green leaves and centered with the traditional wedding cake trimmed with gold. The coffee and tea table was centered with a beautiful arrangement of white chrysanthemums, stiek gladioli, and white carnations with touches of gold leaves, gold birds and bells.

Serving the cake were Mrs. W. C. Roberts, Rosedale, and Mrs. Robert E. McKay, Cleveland. Mrs. Melvin Martin was at the guest register. Serving the coffee and tea were: Mrs. E. W. Wilson, Mrs. J. W. Lewis, Mrs. W. S. Coleman, Mrs. R. O. Fowler, all of Rosedale, Mrs. J. C. Ashley, Ft. Hood, Texas and Mrs. Lillian Lowry of Greenville.

The floating hostesses were Mrs. P. C. Faden, Mrs. Norwood Smith, Mrs. R. L. Burrow, Mrs. Walter Sillers, Jr., Mrs. J. L. Pearson, Jr., all of Rosedale, and Mrs. T. R. Simmons of Augusta, Georgia.

Assisting in the preparations were Mrs. E. O. Wynne and Mrs. Ray Caffey, both of Rosedale.

Approximately two hundred guests were received.

The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Felix Wells, Gladewater, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Simmons, Augusta, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Simmons, Jr., Tyler, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Walker, Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mouser, Hope; Mrs. Arnold Middlebrooks, Hope, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McKay, Cleveland, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Wells, Greenwood, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. N. M. McCuan, Greenwood, Miss., Mrs. Lillian Lowry, Green-

ville, Miss., Captain and Mrs. J. L. Symonds, Greenville, Miss.; Captain and Mrs. A. R. Jackson, Leeland, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Mock, Greenville, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Arledge and Alice Frances, Midland, Miss.; Mr. and J. C. Ashley, Ft. Hood, Texas; Mr. T. Y. Willford, Cleveland, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brunson, Rich., Miss.; Miss Louise Mostkoff, New York, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Rayner, Merigold, Miss.; Mrs. Charlie King, Shaw, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jackson, Greenwood, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. Parker West, Cleveland, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ramsey, Cleveland, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons were married on December 23, 1906 at Hope, Arkansas. Mrs. Simmons is the former Flora May Bayland, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James William England of Hope, Mr. Simmons is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew R. Simmons of Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons moved to Rosedale in November, 1928 when he was made superintendent of the Rosedale plant of the Union Compress and Warehouse Company, the position which he still holds. During these years in Rosedale they have been active members of the First Baptist Church. Mr. Simmons is a deacon and member of the Board of Trustees of the Church. He has been active in Boy Scout work, a charter member and past president of the Rosedale Rotary Club, served on the Board of Trustees and secretary of the board for the Rosedale Consolidated School, and at present is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Rosedale Bolivar County Hospital. He is a mason. Mr. Simmons is also a member and past president of the Mississippi Cotton Compress and Cotton Warehouse Association.

Mrs. Simmons is an active member of the General Charles Clark Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, Mr. and Mrs. Simmons have always been and still are ardent supporters of the Rosedale School and the youth of Rosedale.

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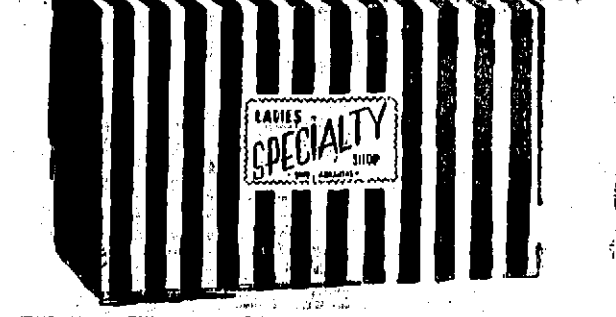
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Roosevelt Williams, Cecil Stephens, Driving while intoxicated, Plea guilty, fined \$50.00 and 1 day in jail.  
Wilford Wood, Carrying a concealed Weapon, Forfeited \$50.00 cash bond.  
Dan Daniels, Gaming, Forfeited \$10.00 cash bond.  
Maggie Hardy, Destroying evidence, Plea guilty, fined \$50.00.  
James A. Robinson, James E. Brown, Disturbing peace, Plea guilty, fined \$25.00.  
Charles Cooper, Disturbing peace, Forfeited \$25.00 cash bond.  
Wilford Wood, Disturbing peace, Forfeited \$10.00 cash bond.  
Louise Cooler, Disturbing peace, Forfeited \$25.00 cash bond.  
M. T. Watkins, Dave Hardy, Possessing untaxed intoxicating liquor, Forfeited \$50.00 cash bond.  
Eddie Morrison, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$10.00 cash bond.  
Edward Leggett, Dean Hamilton, Speeding, Forfeited \$5.00 cash bond.  
Clayton Muldrew, Albert Marshall, Running stop sign, Forfeited \$5.00 cash bond.  
Don F. Kauffman, Improper turn in street, Forfeited \$5.00 cash bond.  
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## Jayhawks Barely Beat Fighting Oklahoma Team

By BEN OLAN  
Of The Associated Press

The Kansas Jayhawks are threatening to make a rout of the Big Seven basketball race while protecting their No. 1 ranking among the nation's colleges.

With Wilt (The Stilt) Chamberlain grabbing 22 points, Kansas had rough going before defeating Oklahoma 59-51 last night. But the unbeaten Jayhawks have been winning "em big (60-54 over Colorado) and small (53-57 over Iowa State). The triumph over the Sooners was their 11th.

Iowa State, tabbed as one of Kansas' chief contenders for the Big Seven crown, was tripped up by Missouri 77-59.

There are plenty of action in the Big Ten. When the firing line over Ohio State and Indiana were ahead of the pack with 2-0 records.

The Buckeyes knocked off Purdue 75-68 and Indiana trounced Wisconsin 70-68. Illinois got back on the beam, with an 81-70 victory over defending champion Iowa. Michigan edged Michigan State 70-69.

Kentucky, ranked third in this week's Associated Press poll, finished strong to defeat Loyola of Chicago 81-62 and Vanderbilt, No. 6, dumped Georgia Tech 81-73 in a Southeastern Conference game.

Chamberlain played the entire game for Kansas and dunked seven field goals and eight of nine free throws. He won't rebounded four of Oklahoma's Don Schwall 14-11.

The Jayhawks now 2-0 in the Big Seven, trailed 44-43 with seven minutes left in the game, but then connected for 12 straight points while holding the Sooners scoreless for five minutes.

Missouri slipped a tight defense around Iowa State star Gary Thompson and held him to 18 points. The Tigers ran up a 31-22 halftime lead and kept that margin most of the second half.

Ohio State trailed several times throughout the second half but Jim Laughlin's jump shot with four minutes left put them ahead for good.

Indiana never trailed and the 28 points they got from Archie Deussen kept the lead easier.

Tailing 49-39 Illinois scored 13 straight points with Hiles Stout leading the way.

Michigan led by nine points midway in the second half but the Spartans rallied to pull within 70-66 with 3:35 left and closed the gap to a single point with 1:01 to go. Close guarding enabled Michigan to pull it out.

Cold as ice in the first half, Kentucky began finding the range with 10 minutes remaining and pulled away.

Vanderbilt had to stage a strong second-half comeback to whip Georgia Tech.

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Dan Daniels, Gaming, Forfeited \$10.00 cash bond.  
Maggie Hardy, Destroying evidence, Plea guilty, fined \$50.00.  
James A. Robinson, James E. Brown, Disturbing peace, Plea guilty, fined \$25.00.  
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With glowing portrayals by James Cagney and Barbara Stanwyck in the leading roles, "These Wilder Years" tells a story of universal appeal, that of a man, who, having deserted a war torn out of wedlock twenty years ago, is tortured by the past mistake he now believes he can rectify.

But when self-made millionaire Steven Bradford sets out to find the small college town of Burton to find his now grown-up son, Mark, he discovers that there are some things money can't buy. It is Ann Dempster, head of the adoption home known as The Haven and a woman who has devoted her entire life to the welfare of unwanted babies, who thwarts Bradford's attempt to locate Mark. Although she sympathizes with this father, who is attempting too late to make amends, Ann cannot let his case jeopardize the happiness and security of countless adopted children and foster parents who would live in fear that the same thing could be done to them.

A determined Bradford risks exposure and scandal to bring the case to court. He hires the country's greatest lawyer and even resorts to fraud.

## Kansas Still Top Cage Team in the Nation

By The Associated Press

Kansas continued its reign as the kingpin of college basketball riding to the latest Associated Press poll of sports writers and broadcasters, but North Carolina's Tar Heels are awaiting just one faltering step.

The Jayhawks, with an 11-0 record, for the fifth consecutive week ranked No. 1. But Frank McGuire's club with an identical record, was only 48 points back.

The two teams completely dominated the voting, heading all but nine of the 33 ballots cast. Kansas drew 45 first-place votes and 684 points on the basis of 10 for first 9 for second, etc.

Kentucky, with four first-place nominations remained in third place followed by Southern Methodist, Louisville, Vanderbilt Iowa State UCLA Seattle and Illinois.

No new teams were able to break the hold of the top 10 but there was some shuffling as a result of Illinois' loss to Minnesota Saturday. The Illini dropped from fifth to 10th with the others moving up or holding their positions.

Vanderbilt made the biggest jump among the leaders after handling Tennessee its first setback Saturday. They advanced from ninth to sixth.

The top 10, with first-place votes in parentheses:

1. Kansas (45)
2. North Carolina (29)
3. Kentucky (4)
4. Southern Methodist (4)
5. Louisville (1)
6. Vanderbilt
7. Iowa State
8. UCLA
9. Seattle (2)
10. Illinois

The second 10, in order: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma A&M Wake Forest Canisius, Duke Tennessee St. Louis, West Virginia Minnesota, Western Kentucky.

## Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press

New York—Bobby Courchesne, 134½, Holyoke Mass., outpointed Johnny Bussio 140, New York 10. Providence R. I. —Franz Szuzina 162, Germany, outpointed Curtis Bruce 161, Newark N.J. 10.

Holyoke Mass. —Eddie Demars, 169, Springfield stopped Ted Doncaster 156 Boston 12.

## Independents Here Down Prescott Five

Hope Independents Men's Basketball team defeated the Prescott Independents 77 to 71 last night in the Hope High School Gymnasium. Playing for Hope are Delton Calhoun, Sonny Stanley, Wayne Johnson, Billy Mitchell, Wayne Taylor and Leon Turpin. Thursday night, the Hope team engages the Henderson College Independent team in the local gym at 7:30 p. m. There is no admission charge.

## Legal Notice

No. 7956 In the Chancery Court of Hempstead County, Ark. JETT SNOWDEN Plaintiff vs. MARY SNOWDEN Defendant  
WARRANTING ORDER  
The defendant, Mary Snowden is warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff Jett Snowden.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 5th day of January 1957.  
L. C. Byers, Clerk  
John P. Vesey, Attorney for Plaintiff  
John L. Wilson, Jr., Attorney at-law  
Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29

## Legal Notice

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PROBATE COURT NOTICES  
Notice is hereby given that the following Administrators and Guardians have filed their Annual and Final Settlements with the Probate Court of Hempstead County, Arkansas, for approval and confirmation, to-wit:

Account of Vera Caudle, Guardian of the person and estate of Milton H. Caudle, incompetent, filed December 12, 1956.

Annual Account of Daniel L. Pilkinton, Administrator of the estate of Louise B. Pilkinton, deceased, filed December 14, 1956.

Final Settlement of Clara M. Bryant, Administratrix of the estate of Robert T. Bryant, deceased, filed December 15, 1956.

First and Final Settlement of Glenice Porter, Administratrix of the estate of Frank Van Ness, deceased, filed December 28, 1956.

And all persons interested in the above named estates are ordered to come forward and file exceptions if any they have within sixty (60) days from the date said settlements were filed or they will be forever barred from excepting such accounts or any item thereof.

Arnold J. Middlebrooks, Probate Clerk of Hempstead County, Arkansas.  
By Arthur C. Anderson, D. C.

## Basketball

By The Associated Press

Penn State 86, Gettysburg 50  
Duquesne 57, Villanova 45  
Syracuse 79, Connecticut 78  
Vanderbilt 81 Georgia Tech 73  
Furman 85, Virginia Tech 81  
The Citadel 81, VMI 71  
Oklahoma City 85 Western Kentucky 78  
Tuland 72 Georgia 54  
Auburn 88, Mississippi 54  
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Florida 74 Louisiana State 50  
Northwestern (La) 96, Southern (Ark) State 74  
Ohio State 73, Purdue 68  
Michigan 70 Wisconsin 68  
Illinois 81 Iowa 70  
Kansas 59, Oklahoma 51  
Nebraska 74, Colorado 52  
Missouri 77 Iowa State 59  
Bradley 88 Drake 75  
Kentucky 68, Chicago Loyola 62  
Marquette 69, Detroit 64  
Notre Dame 82, Northwestern 61  
Rochester 74, Kirksville (Mo) State 59  
Springfield (Mo) State 74, Rolla (Mo) 67  
Rice 78 Arkansas 68  
Abilene Christian 63, McMurry 60  
Tulsa 65, Houston 64  
Hardin Simmons 57 New Mexico A&M 49  
DENVER 74, Wyoming 56

Woodson's salary reportedly was \$9,000.

## Ford Captures Los Angeles Meet

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The Los Angeles Open golf tournament's \$7,000 first place money ended a long dry spell for 34-year-old Doug Ford, a tanned and husky professional from Mahopae N. Y.

"It was the first major tournament I've won since the Sponser's Tournament in Boston in October, 1955," Ford said.

Over a drizzling rain, Ford came home yesterday with a two-under-par 69 for a 72-hole total of 280 one stroke ahead of Jay Hebert of Sanford, Fla.

Before that, Ford said he thought the most trouble would come from veterans Jack Burke Jr. of Klamath Lake, N. Y., and Tommy Bolt, the terrible tempered Los Angeles professional.

But they fell off the pace on the final nine to finish behind Hebert at 283 along with Art Wall Jr. Peconic Manor, Pa., and Dave Jacobs of Los Angeles. Each picked up \$1900 for his efforts.

## District Meet Here to Pick Tourney Sites

There will be a 7W District AAA meeting in Hope High School library January 14th at 7 p. m., for the purpose of electing officers for 1957-58, and selection of district sites for 1956-57.

Tournaments will be awarded to Junior Boys, A and B, Senior Boys, A and B, and Senior Girls, A and B.

These notices are being sent for W. K. Pickett, Secretary of the District, who is calling the meeting and will be in charge of the meeting, due to the absence of James H. Stewart, who has left our district.

## Laneburg Wins 2 of 3 Games at McNeil

Laneburg cage teams won 2 out of 3 from McNeil Friday night in the McNeil Gym. Laneburg Senior boys won 57 to 40 with Leonard Hunter sacking 17 points. John Blair scored 16 for McNeil.

Laneburg Senior girls won a close game 33 to 32 with Vera Almand hitting for 21 points. Marise McLaughlin also scored 21 for McNeil. McNeil Junior boys won 27 to 23 with Alvin Green scoring 10 points. Rodney Tompkins was high for Laneburg with 7 points. Reported by Nancy Armstrong of Laneburg.

## Policy Council of NCAA Maps Out Details

By SKIPPER PATRICK

ST. LOUIS (AP) The powerful 18-man policy making council of the National Collegiate Athletic Association begins its executive session today to iron out details of the organization's 51st annual convention, opening tomorrow morning.

The council, which handles interim business of the association between conventions has a number of cases pending, but no new cases will come up at this meeting. NCAA by-laws stipulate any new business must be submitted to the members 30-days prior to the convention.

Of the 14 major colleges presently on probation only the University of Miami (Fla.) is in a situation where it must give the right answers. Miami's probation, originally a one year stint but later extended to two seasons for recruiting violations, is up Jan. 10.

The four-year probation penalty assessed against North Carolina State last Nov. 13 in the Jackie Moreland recruiting case isn't expected to come up in view of the Atlantic Coast Conference's recent \$5,000 fine against the school. The NCAA's action against North Carolina State for recruiting the Menden La., athlete was the most severe since the association got into the enforcement business five years ago.

Yesterday the American Assn. of College Baseball Coaches struck at professional baseball in retaliation for its elimination of a rule against recruiting college athletes.

Ethan Allen Yale coach and a former major league player, said the executive committee would recommend major league scout be barred from contacting players on campus.

On February 3, 1957, "a large and respectable" meeting of the citizens of what is now Little Rock for the purpose of giving the place a suitable name. "Arkopolis" was unanimously adopted.

## Marie Dramatically Tells of Kidnaping

By JAMES BACON  
ENCINO, Calif. (AP) Marie (The Body) McDonald, whose curves are far more dramatic than her histrionics could claim, some kind of award today for her performance in the police movie of the year.

In an all-atkik, color film with police cameramen, the shapely actress re-enacted what she says was a terrifying midnight kidnaping from her palatial San Fernando Valley home.

The movie had everything any Cecil B. DeMille epic ever had — except cameras. There were four scenes requiring six takes; a bedroom shot and an outdoor long shot; a producer and director (both policemen) and, of course, set coverage by a small army of Hollywood press.

## Legal Notice

ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS  
The annual meeting of the members of Hope Federal Savings and Loan Association, Hope, Arkansas, will be held at the office of the Association at 122 East Second Street, Hope, Arkansas, at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday, January 15, 1957.

Meeting is for the purpose of electing two directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly be considered by the members.

Fred O. Ellis, Secretary

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## Report of the Condition of BANK OF BLEVINS

21 Blevins, Hempstead Co., Ark.

At the close of business Dec. 31, 1956, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State, published in accordance with a call made by the State Bank Commissioner.

## RESOURCES —

Loans and Discounts	54,381.81
Loans on Real Estate	31,767.15
U. S. Securities not pledged	10,700.00
Other Bonds and Securities, Including State Warrants, County and City Scrip	19,800.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,932.00
Banking House	5,537.50
Cash and Due from Approved Reserve Banks	183,957.12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>402,105.00</b>

## LIABILITIES —

Common Stock	25,000.00
Surplus Fund, Certified	25,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net	10,106.50
Reserve for Contingencies, etc.	1,820.33
Individual Deposits, including Public Funds	297,004.13
Time Certificates of Deposit	34,841.60
U. S. Government Deposits	5,537.50
Cashier's Checks	2,035.00



**By Ed Ström**



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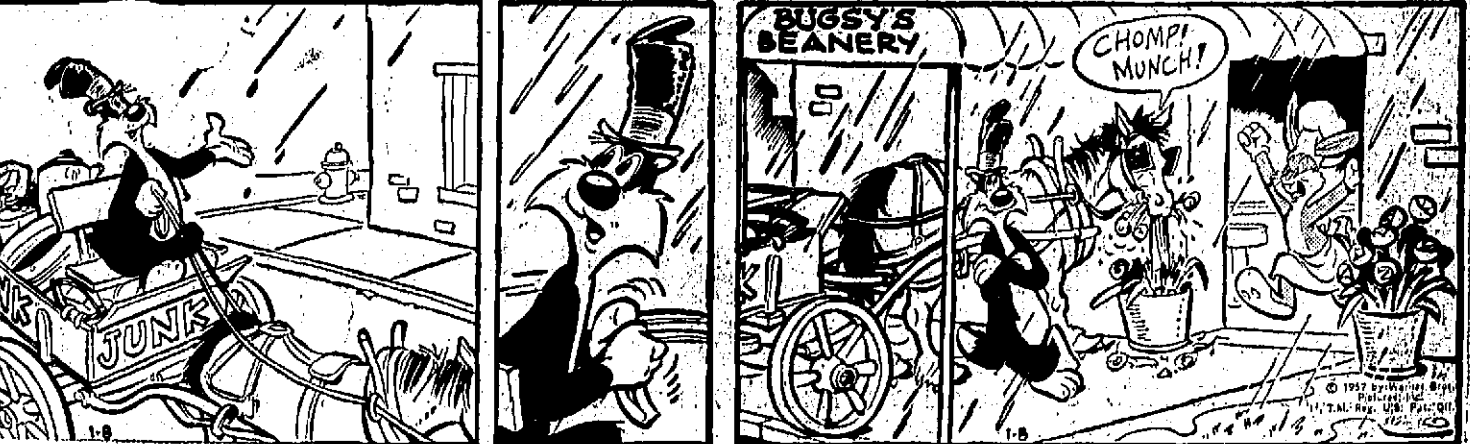
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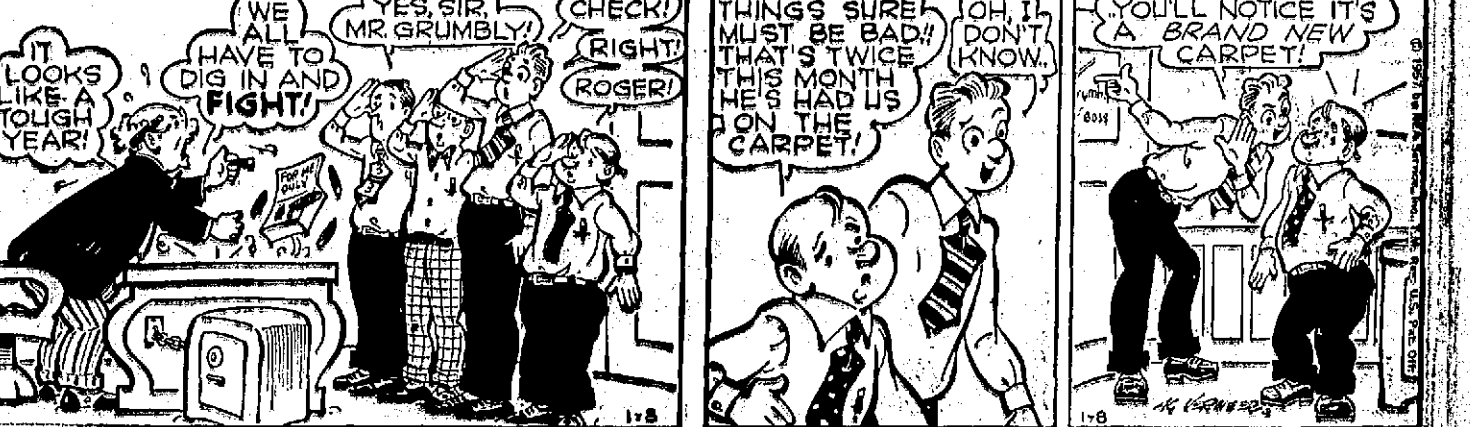
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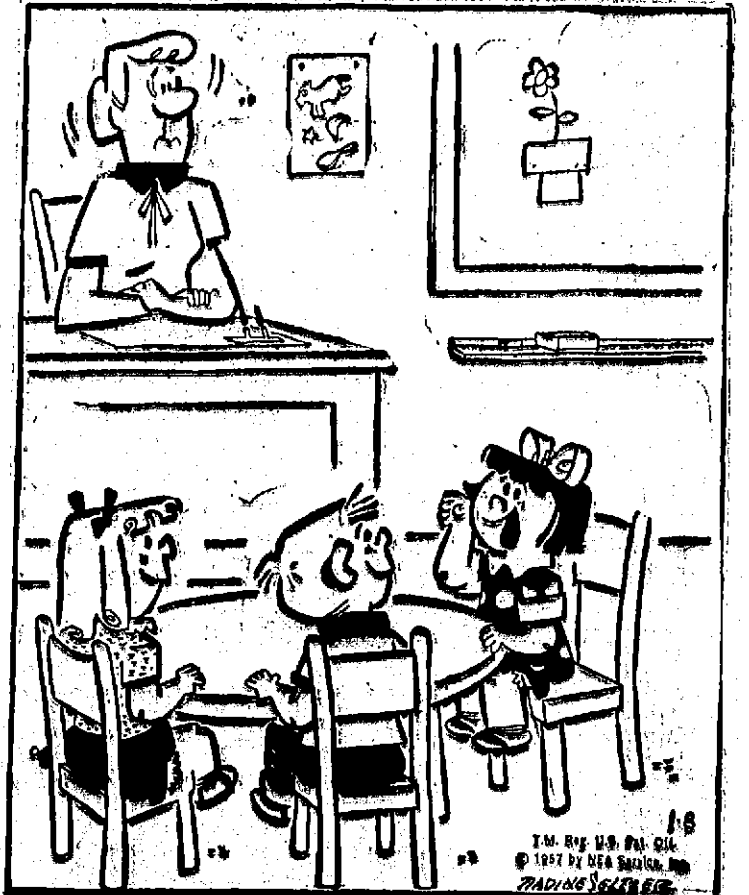
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## A DOCTOR for BLUE JAY COVE

By ELIZABETH SEBERT

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As quietly as she had appeared in their front hall, as calmly as water sliding over a flat rock, Lenoire went into Aunt Cordy's room and took charge.

Before anyone knew just how it had been managed she had taken three of the eggs to the kitchen, and was back again with a puffy golden omelet upon a plate, a cup of good coffee and a smaller plate containing a circle of perfect strawberries around a cone of powdered sugar. There were two slices of golden toast upon the tray a snowy napkin.

"She got a touch," agreed Aunt Cordy, watching Aunt Cordy's delight.

She came out to the side porch with a dazed look in her eyes. Marcy lifted her head. "Has something happened?"

"No." Then Cass laughed shortly and gave her head a shake. "Well—yes. A miracle maybe. Maybe, too, you'd better go look."

You'd never believe me. "I'll try," drawled Marcy. "On this hot morning I wouldn't need proof."

So Cass told her of Lenoire Black's sudden appearance in the front hall. "As if she'd been coaxed there by a gent Marcy!"

"Well, what d'you know is she a nurse, Cass?"

"No. She's an out-patient at the clinic. Goes there for physiotherapy. She's had some sort of paralysis."

"Well, why did she come here? I mean, to the Haven And Aunt Cordy?"

"As much help as she's been taking her being here and ask no questions!"

"But there still must be a reason. Of course, I suppose she's Alex's patient."

"I think she is."

"Himmnnnnnn. You say she's good looking?"

"Oh strikingly so. Tall, blonde, beautiful eyes—and she has a

grave unsmiling way of looking at one—you feel as if you should tell her all your secrets."

Marcy sat up. "How about hearing some of hers? Wait—I'll go peek at this woman." She padded off and returned immediately.

"Yep," she agreed, "it's a miracle all right. The old girl is purring like any pussy cat. But I still want to know why a stranger should come in and—oh, is she a stranger? She could have already known Aunt Cordy."

Cass shook her head. "I'm sure they'd never met."

"I wish they had," said Marcy, scratching the back of her neck. "Because I don't especially care for the other reason I can think of."

Cass looked at her. "What reason is that?"

"Well—of course you know that you have a good looking husband."

"I married him for his looks," Marcy grinned. "And women are inclined to fall for their doctors. Have you heard that, little girl?"

Cass rejected her theory at once. "Oh, no!" she said firmly. "Miss Black may be his patient, but—"

She was called to the telephone just then and when she returned to the side porch she found Lenoire Black out there talking to Marcy.

"Here's Cass!" Marcy announced brightly. "Look, honey—Miss Black—she has the brightest ideas!—Miss Black suggests that you and I run off for a half-hour swim before lunch."

The heat persisted, and every morning of that week Miss Black came in quietly around 10, and Cass went swimming with Marcy for an hour which she said, saved her life.

Neither she nor Marcy told Alex about the visits. Perhaps they didn't know that they hadn't told him.

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## Two Killed in Mt. Ida Wreck

MOUNT IDA, Ark. Two Montgomery County men were killed last night when their car struck a bridge abutment on state Highway 27 six miles south of Mount Ida.

Killed instantly in the crash were J. D. Wingfield, 40, a Mount Ida pulpwood contractor believed to have been the driver and Forrest Lambert, 38, of Story.

State Trooper Glen Minton said the car skidded along a shoulder to smash into the abutment on the Crump Creek bridge.

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## Facts About Everything From Weevils to Acting

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK — Things a communist might never know if he didn't open his mail: That Jayne Mansfield, Hollywood's greatest natural acting talent since Lillian, sleeps in a giant size bed covered with black silk sheets, but doesn't every body.

That new generations of the boll weevil are getting so resistant to DDT it no longer gives them the d's, proving that one insect's poison is another insect's mouthwash.

That the new 17 million dollar Americans Hotel in Miami Beach is so luxurious so help us. It has wall-to-wall carpeting even in the bathrooms.

That there are no 70 million dollar bus and truck drivers in the United States. This leaves only 99 million pedestrians to keep out of their way.

That the blouses worn by Edith Adams as Daisy Mae, homespun heroine of the Broadway musical, "I Abner" cost more than \$100 each.

That paintings left by ancient cave-men on their indoor walls indicate they preferred their women fat a beauty ideal still held by some native tribes.

That expectant fathers often suffer such psychosomatic ailments as headaches, dizziness and stomach upsets.

That Dr. Frank S. Caprio, a

Washington D. C., psychiatrist sues "infidelity is closely allied with excessive drinking." The WCTU has been saying this for decades.

That each cubic mile of sea water contains 4 million tons of magnesium.

That atomic heating of factories office buildings and other large structures eventually will help solve the smog problem. Meanwhile, anyone looking for it's... proving that one insect's poison is another insect's mouthwash.

That Japan is the only country where pearls have been successfully cultivated.

That although former President Harry S. Truman was photographed several times holding up fish while in office, the Fisherman's Magazine raises this learning political issue: "Did he actually catch any of them himself?" Well, HST, how about it... We pause for reply.

That wives trying to get hubby to buy them a new vacuum cleaner can give him this argument—because of a poor crop of brooms the price of brooms will rise this year.

That lobsters have sex just like most everything else. There are hen lobsters and cock lobsters. Anyone seeking further information on this vital subject is hereby referred to the Fulton Fish Market.

That Kate Smith who never

took a singing lesson in her life, once aspired to a career in opera. He gave it up on the advice of Leopold Stokowski.

That a major chain of grocery supermarkets is reported planning to sell clocks. Will Tiffany's fight back by stocking breakfast foods and sterling steak.

That a medical survey showed a trend among doctors of all types to reduce their cigarette smoking.

That a lawyer named John C. Argue has been admitted to the California state bar.

That prosperity may make people even more jittery than poverty. Else why did U. S. physicians write 35 million prescriptions for tranquilizing drugs last year?

That it was philosopher George Santayana who observed, "The young man who has not wept is a savage, and the old man who will not laugh is a fool."

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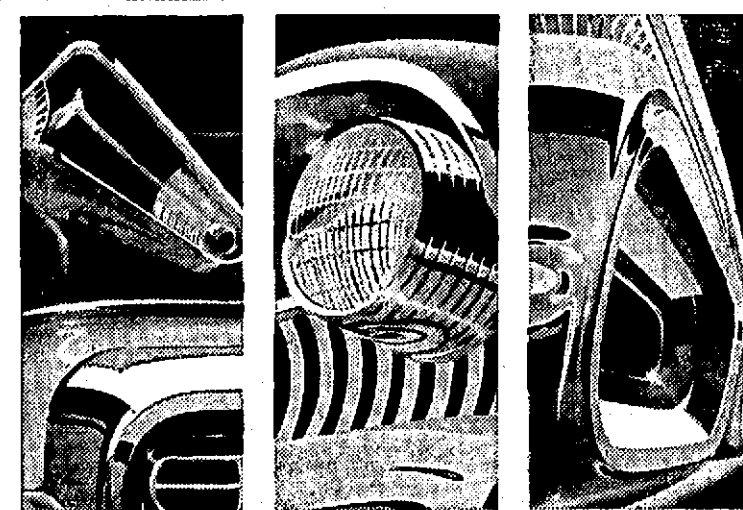
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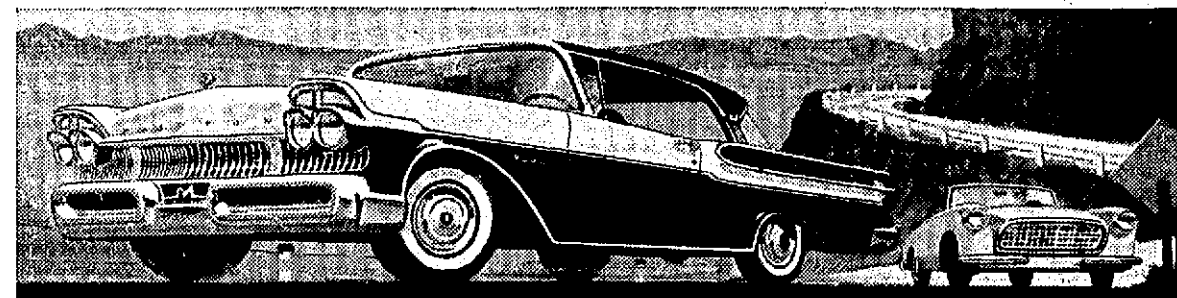
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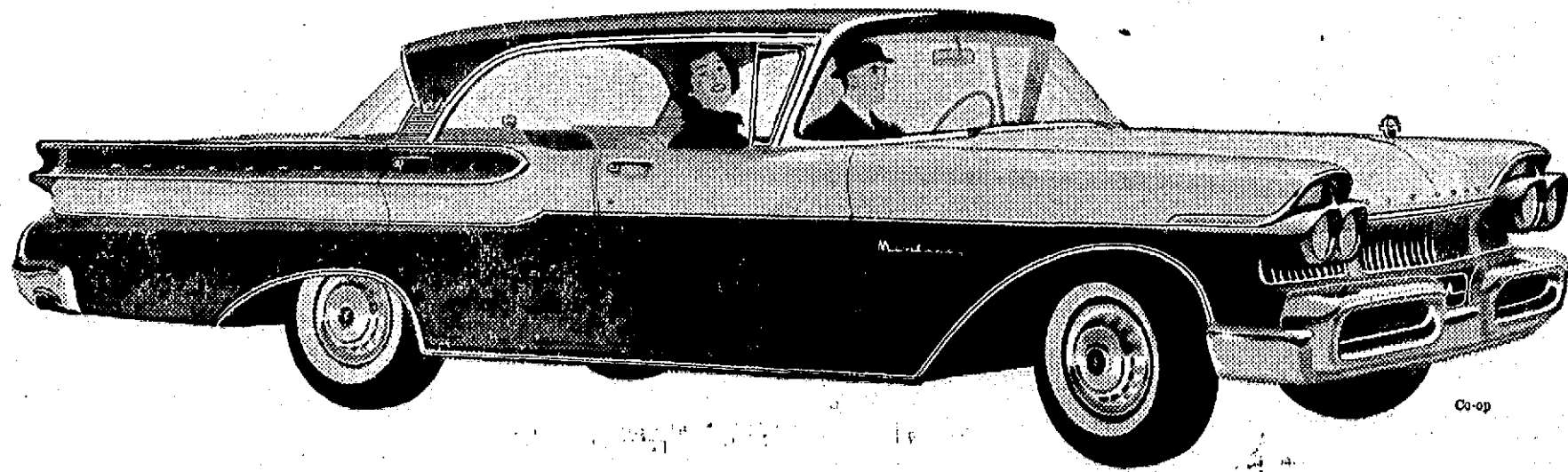
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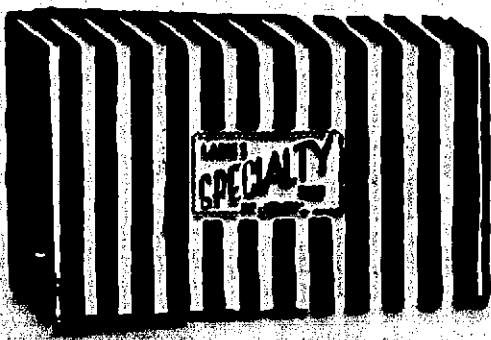
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